

**INTEGRATED WASTE
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MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The Integrated Waste Management Technical Advisory Committee may take action on any item appearing on the agenda contained herein.

Thursday, November 4, 2021

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

This meeting will be held online only. Please use the link below to join us.

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Chair: County of San Diego

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Thursday, November 4, 2021– Agenda

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| 1. QUORUM (at least 10 jurisdiction representatives must be present) | APPROVE |
| 2. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS | INFORMATION |
| 3. REVIEW OF THE OCTOBER 7, 2021 MEETING SUMMARY | INFORMATION |
| 4. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS
<i>Guests who wish to speak on a matter that does not appear on the agenda may do so during the Public Comments and Communications period.</i> | INFORMATION |
| 5. CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT | INFORMATION |
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| 7. PRESENTATIONS | INFORMATION |
| 8. CALRECYCLE UPDATE | INFORMATION |
| 9. COVID-19 - GENERAL DISCUSSION | DISCUSSION |
| 10. SB 1383 & AB 1826 – ROLLOUT ROUNDTABLE | DISCUSSION |
| 11. TARP YOUR LOAD/LITTER ABATEMENT | INFORMATION |
| 12. SUBCOMMITTEES’ REPORT <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Household Hazardous Wasteb. Organicsc. Edible Food Recovery | INFORMATION |
| 13. ROUNDTABLE
TAC Members may present items to the Committee regarding topics not covered in the agenda | DISCUSSION |
| 14. LEGISLATION | INFORMATION |
| 15. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS | |

**INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Thursday, October 7, 2021 – Meeting Summary**

Attendance

Members:

Avecita Jones, City of Carlsbad
Manuel Medrano, City of Chula Vista
Ofelia Andrade, City of Coronado
Clem Brown, City of Del Mar
Ashlee Stratakis, City of Encinitas
Laura Robinson, City of Escondido
Wbaldo Arellano, City of Imperial Beach
Carla Hutchinson, City of National City
Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside
Amelia Dominguez, City of Poway
Sean Harris, City of San Marcos
Jeanne Patton, City of San Diego
Joshua Sino Cruz, City of Vista

Guests:

Jenna Roripaugh, Agri Service
Haley Aumiller, CalRecycle
Roberta Goldenpenny, CalRecycle
Malia Helms, CalRecycle
Jill Larner, CalRecycle
Alyssa Wagner, City of Carlsbad
Doug Kobold, CPSC
Brooke Yaptangco Flinn, I Love a Clean San Diego
Nita Kurmins Gilson, Produce Good
Risa Baron, Republic Services
Caleb Weaver, Ridwell
Rick Gloria, City of San Diego LEA
Melissa Porter, County of San Diego DEHQ
Natalia King, County of San Diego
Ellyn Law, County of San Diego
Caitlin Lelles, County of San Diego
Michael Wonsidler, County of San Diego
Stephen Mergener, Scalvage
Mallika Sen, Solana Center
Leslia Webb-Blanco, City of Vista
Debbie Descans, Waste Management

Staff: Eric Wolff, County of San Diego

Meeting Summary

1. QUORUM

The Chair determined that quorum was met and called the meeting to order.

2. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Jurisdiction representatives and guests introduced themselves.

3. REVIEW OF THE SEPTEMBER 2, 2021 MEETING SUMMARY

Laura Robinson, City of Escondido motioned to approve the September 2, 2021 Meeting Summary. Wbaldo Arellano, City of Imperial Beach seconded. Motion carried to approve the Meeting Summary.

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Mallika Sen, Solana Center: Solana Center has completed site visits to review organics recycling requirements and provide technical assistance to over 50 businesses on behalf of the

Cities of Carlsbad and Encinitas. Common concerns from businesses include space constraints, vectors, and the need to bag food waste. Solana Center highlighted the success of outreach events with 100-200 attendees stopping by booths to learn about composting. A list of upcoming events is posted on Solana Center's [website](#), including the San Diego Fixit Clinic (10/9).

Brooke Yaptangco Flinn, I Love a Clean San Diego: I Love a Clean San Diego highlighted the success of Coastal Cleanup Day (9/18) which resulted in over 2,400 volunteers picking up 18,000 pounds of trash! A list of upcoming events is posted on I Love a Clean San Diego's [website](#).

5. CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

Eric Wolff, County of San Diego: The San Diego County Board of Supervisors voted to start the process of allowing micro-enterprise home kitchen operations throughout the county. Staff will be developing options for future Board consideration.

The County also posted an RFP through [BuyNet](#) for organic materials management and composting services that closes on October 22.

6. CPSC UPDATE

Doug Kobold, California Product Stewardship Council (CPSC): A legislative update on the following bills was shared:

- [AB 652](#), Product safety: juvenile products: chemicals: perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances. Signed by Governor on October 5.
- [AB 707](#), Mercury Thermostat Collection Act of 2021. Enrolled for Governor signature on September 13
- [AB 818](#), Solid waste: premoistened nonwoven disposable wipes. Signed by Governor October 6
- [AB 881](#), Plastic waste: diversion: recycling: export. Signed by Governor on October 5.
- [AB 962](#), California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act: reusable beverage containers. Signed by Governor October 5.
- [AB 1035](#), Department of Transportation and local agencies: streets and highways: recycled materials. Enrolled for Governor signature on September 10.
- [AB 1200](#), Plant-based food packaging: cookware: hazardous chemicals. Signed by Governor October 5.
- [AB 1201](#), Solid waste: products: labeling: compostability and biodegradability. Signed by Governor October 5
- [AB 1276](#), Single-use foodware accessories and standard condiments. Signed by Governor October 5.
- [AB 1311](#), Recycling: beverage containers. Signed by Governor October 5.
- [SB 244](#), Lithium-ion batteries: illegal disposal: fire prevention. Enrolled for Governor signature on September 7.
- [SB 343](#), Environmental advertising: recycling symbol: recyclability: products and packaging. Signed by Governor October 5.
- [SB 619](#), Organic waste: reduction regulations: local jurisdiction compliance. Signed by Governor October 5.

An update on regulations was shared:

- SB 1335 requires food services facilities located in a state-owned facility, operating on or acting as a concessionaire on state-owned property, or under contract to provide food service to a state agency to dispense prepared food using food service packaging that is reusable, recyclable, or compostable. There has been no update since the proposed regulations were approved by CalRecycle on December 31, 2020.
<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/laws/rulemaking/foodservice/>
- SB 212- Stewardship plans for pharmaceutical and sharps waste. No update. Stewardships plans for both pharma and sharps were due to CalRecycle on July 7. Penalties start January 7, 2022 if no approved plan.
<https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/epr/pharmasharps>

CPSC is continuing the effort to address battery and battery-embedded product recycling and any support from jurisdictions is appreciated. For more information please contact Doug Kobold at Dough@calpsc.org.

7. PRESENTATIONS

Caleb Weaver, Ridwell: Ridwell works to simplify the process of collecting hard to recycle items from residents that are not accepted in local curbside programs. What started as a father-son duo interested in responsibly disposing of their items began collecting batteries, lightbulbs, and plastic film and carpooling them with neighbors. After thousands signed up in interest, Ridwell was founded to help even more families. Ridwell provides reusable sorting bags printed with simple collection instructions and offers biweekly pickup from customers. Ridwell utilizes a routing software to complete stops and an app to gather data. Presorted bags are then delivered to a warehouse where bags are emptied, screened and materials are prepared for reuse and recycling partners. Ridwell is currently helping over 45 municipalities in Oregon, Washington, and Colorado and is looking to expand. For more information please contact Caleb Weaver at Caleb@ridwell.com.

Ellyn Law, County of San Diego: To implement the California Integrated Waste Management Act, counties are required to prepare and submit to CalRecycle, the Countywide Integrated Waste Management Plan (CIWMP). This Plan includes the Source Reduction and Recycling Element, Household Hazardous Waste Element and Non-Disposal Facility Element for each jurisdiction and the Countywide Siting Element and Summary Plan for the county. Every five years, each city and county are tasked with reviewing, and revising if necessary, elements of the CIWMP. The County of San Diego will prepare and submit the CIWMP 5-year review report which is due to CalRecycle June 30, 2022. The County has requested the Letter of Planning Document Accuracy from jurisdictions by November 1, 2021 which confirms if the planning documents of each jurisdiction are adequate or require a revision. For more information, please contact Ellyn Law at 858-505-6348 or Ellyn.Law@sdcounty.ca.gov.

8. CALRECYCLE UPDATE

Roberta Goldenpenny, CalRecycle, reported on the following:

- CalRecycle recently published the SB 1383 Recordkeeping Requirements [webpage](#) and associated tools.
- CalRecycle's [YouTube page](#) is updated with recordings of SB 1383 webinars and presentations.
- CalRecycle LAMD staff will continue to assist jurisdictions throughout 2021 to plan for SB 1383 programs.
- Additional SB 1383 Guidance Documents include: [Understanding Jurisdiction Responsibilities](#), [Detailed Sampling Guidance: Measuring Organic Waste in Mixed Waste Organic Collection Stream at Transfer/Processing Facilities and Operations](#), [Detailed Sampling Guidance: Measuring Organic Waste Sent to Disposal from Compostable Material Handling Facilities & Operations](#) and [In-Vessel Digestion Facilities & Operations](#), [Detailed Implementation Guidance: Standard Collection Services versus Performance-Based Collection Service](#), and [Detailed Sampling Guidance: SB 1383 Organic Waste Collection Service Options](#).
- Upcoming meetings and webinars include: CalRecycle [Public Meeting](#) (10/19), [SB 1383 Recycling and Disposal Reporting System \(RDRS\) Reporting Requirements Webinar](#) (10/26), [SB 1383 Model Implementation Record Tools Webinar](#) (10/27).
- Since March 2021, CalRecycle's contractor has been hosting a series of workshops centered on tires and tire recycling. The Workshops are available [here](#).
- There are a series of free, live workshops on the tire-retreading process. More information is available [here](#).
- An update on [grant/loan cycles](#) was shared: Farm and Ranch Solid Waste Cleanup and Abatement Grant (due 11/11/21 and 2/10/22); Tire-Derived Aggregate Grant Program (due 12/8/21); Beverage Container Redemption Pilot Project Program.

9. COVID-19 GENERAL DISCUSSION – No discussion.

10. SB 1383 & AB 1826– ROLLOUT ROUNDTABLE

IWMTAC Members: Members discussed the passage of [SB 619](#).

- CalRecycle offered to provide a presentation on the existing SB 1383 enforcement process and will provide any updates on the notice of intent to comply as they become available.

Colleen Foster, City of Oceanside: Colleen asked the group if any jurisdictions assessed the percent increase on rates to implement SB 1383 programs.

- The City of Chula Vista has assessed rates and can share the results.
- The City of Santee has also assessed rate increases. The City of Santee has entered into a new agreement with Waste Management and is working on SB 1383 implementation. The City held a successful community cleanup day on September 25 that resulted in collection of over 0.5 tons of mixed recycling, 1.38 tons of white goods, 1,300 pounds of e-waste, 6 tons of trash and had paper shredding available onsite.

11. TARP YOUR LOAD/LITTER ABATEMENT – OPPORTUNITIES TO UNIFY OUTREACH - No report.

12. SUBCOMMITTEES' REPORT

- a. Household Hazardous Waste** – Alternative management standards for treated wood waste were reinstated under AB 332, signed by the Governor on August 31. Prescription Drug Take Back Day is on October 23.
- b. Organics** – The group is discussing opportunities to expand the knowledge of compost best management practices. Interest in incorporating compost and mulch information in stormwater training. Agri Service is hosting a lunch and learn at El Corazon on November 10. Republic Services opened California's first fully solar-powered compost facility at Otay Landfill and held a ribbon cutting ceremony on October 6.
- c. Edible Food Recovery** – No report.

13. ROUNDTABLE

Ellyn Law, County of San Diego: The Organics and Edible Food Planning timelines have been pushed up. The checklists presented at the September TAC meeting had a due date to CalRecycle listed as October 1. Please note this was listed in error and the due date is August 1. Jurisdictions should be working on their planning analysis and will be due to the County no later than June 1, 2022. Eric will be sending out the updated checklists with the minutes for this meeting and they have been posted on the County's [website](#). For more information please contact Stephanie Ewalt at Stephanie.Ewalt@sdcounty.ca.gov.

Avecita Jones, City of Carlsbad: City Council approved a ban on single-use plastics and intentionally releasing balloons and the draft Sustainable Materials Management Plan to address organic waste which includes approval to hire 6 full time employees.

Manuel Medrano, City of Chula Vista: Interest in collaborating on a regional SB 1383 outreach campaign. In addition, Manuel offered to coordinate a future TAC presentation from a vendor to discuss opportunities for Spanish outreach if there was member interest.

Caitlin Lelles, County of San Diego: The County is collaborating through the TAC Edible Food Recovery Subcommittee on developing region-wide educational materials on edible food recovery.

Colleen Foster, County of San Diego: Interest in a survey from jurisdictions on the total number of full-time employees dedicated to solid waste and recycling programs.

14. LEGISLATION – No report.

15. ADJOURNMENT AND UPCOMING MEETINGS

Meeting adjourned. The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, November 4, 2021.